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MR. SPEAKER :—" The question is—

'That the Madras Estates Land (Reduction of Rent) Amendment Bill, 1952, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the following Members and that leave of the House be granted under rule 81 for the Select Committee to consist of more than fifteen persons :—

The Hon. Sri M. A. Manickavelu Naicker.

Sri K. Rajaram.
,, S. Narayanappa.
,, G. Sivasankara Reddi.
,, P. Venkatasubbiah.
,, Ramasundara Karunalaya Pandiyan.
,, S. Jayarama Reddiar.
,, A. Sambasivam.
,, G. Latchanna.
,, C. V. Somayajulu.
,, T. Viswanatham.
,, N. Rathina Gounder.
,, K. Govinda Rao.
,, K. Venkaiah.
,, Vavilala Gopalakrishnaiah.
,, K. R. Viswanathan.
,, R. Siddanna Gowd.' "

The motion was carried.

MR. SPEAKER :—" I appoint the Hon. Sri M. A. Manickavelu Naicker to be the Chairman of the Committee."

(8) THE MADRAS REPEALING AND AMENDING BILL,[a] 1952.

THE HON. SRI K. P. KUTTIKRISHNAN NAYAR :—" Sir, I am not moving the Madras Repealing and Amending Bill, 1952, now. I will be moving it in the next session of the Assembly."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" Sir, before you adjourn the House, may I submit that the Government should give us an idea when we are going to meet again."

MR. SPEAKER :—" I thought the Hon. Leader of the House has consulted the Leader of the Opposition."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" Sir, I would make a suggestion. The work of the Select Committees will take some time; then there are some other important meetings for several of the Congress Members, and they may require about seven days in September;

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therefore, I would suggest that the next sitting may be fixed to take place in the third week of September and you may be pleased to adjourn the House *sine die*."

MR. SPEAKER :—" There is the election to the Council of States and hon. Members will not be paid any travelling allowance for coming here and voting at that election."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" Sir, I had that in my mind. Our Government have got a pull with the Government of India and they can change the date if they like."

MR. SPEAKER :—" I will fix a date and adjourn the House. I will convey whatever is said by the Leader of the Opposition to the Leader of the House, and if the meeting is postponed, I will send another notice."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" I thought, if you are pleased to adjourn the House *sine die*, it would be more helpful."

MR. SPEAKER :—" I adjourn the House to meet again at 11 a.m. on Saturday, 6th September 1952."

The House then adjourned.

V.—PAPER LAID ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE.

G.O. Ms. No. 2374, *P.W. (Electricity), dated* 2nd *June* 1952, *relating to the acquisition by Government of Sivakasi Municipal Electrical Undertaking and provisional absorption of staff into Government service.*

TRUTH ALONE TRIUMPHS